YOUTSEY ON STAND

Says Leading Republicans Plotted Goebel Murder.

GOT RIFLES READY HIMSELF

State's Witness Declares He Had her father. He was dying and wished her Conversations with Powers, Gov. to come. She went, and he left her all his Taylor, Senator Deboe, and Others wealth, said to be a large sum. About the Killing, and That He GAS COMPANIES GET SETBACK. Helped to Extract Cartridge Shell. Commissioners Will Ask Congress to

Georgetown, Ky., Dec. 10.-If the story of Henry E. Youtsey, told on the witness the Commissioners announced that, notstand in the trial of Caleb Powers here withstanding the arguments presented by, to-day is true, not only Powers, his counsel for the Washington and Georgebrother, John L. Powers; Gov. W. S. town Gaslight companies before the Taylor, W. H. Culton, and James How- Commissioners, it had been decided to ard, all of whom have been indicted, adhere to the original decision to request knew that William Goebel was to be as- Congress to suspend the law under which sassinated on the day he was shot while these corporations are endeavoring to inentering the capitol grounds at Frank- crease their capital stock. fort, but practically every prominent Re- In commenting upon the conclusion publican in the State about the executive reached by the Commissioners, Commisbuilding for several days prior to the sioner Macfarland said that it was believed shooting knew that it was to be done. by the Commissioners that they ought to

"I talked with United States Senator bring this matter to the attention of W. E. Deboe," said the witness, while de- Congress in this way, so that it may tailing his startling confession to the know what is going on and have an op-Commonwealth to-day, "and told him portunity to act before the possible into permit it, that Emmett Orr and other Democrats were going to vote with the ALLIES IN CHEAPER GAS WAR Republicans to seat Taylor as governor

I told Gov. Taylor what Deboe had said." Youtsey said he first "got" Dr. W. R Johnson, of Johnson County, who, after Petworth Citizens Discuss Question laying in wait one morning went home and then he "got" a negro named Mason Says He Got Rifles Ready.

"W. G. Davidson, the assistant sec- Opinion Announced That a Fair Maretary of State," said Youtsey, "said we could have the office, and I had the Marlih rifle and the Winchester rifle brought in, and was ready. Hockersmith said he would not do it until he talked personally with Gov. Taylor. I told Gov. Taylor, zens' Association were present last night that he might be a spy. After he refused, Gov. Taylor dictated to me a letter, which I sent to 'Jim' Howard, at west. Manchester, asking him to come to my office in the executive building. I mailed the letter and told John L. Powers that we were going to kill Goebel from the indow of the office. I later saw Caleb Powers and told him we wanted the key. would fix the door so we could get in.

the morning of the 20th and when I opened it he handed me the letter which I had written him. I took him into the room, showed him the two guns and he chose the Marlin. I arranged everything, and after pointing out Goebel left the aid of the Commissioners at the proper time.

The secretary of the association was directed to communication was directed to communication was received from the board of fire wardens asking that the sum of \$3,500 be appropriated for the purchase of a modern fire alarm system.

RUSH FOR OFFICE BEGINS. room. When the shots were fired we rushed to the door of the secretary of dren. rushed to the door of the secretary of State's office and tried to get in. 'Ben' Rowe finally got in over the transom and opened the door. Gov. Taylor had been pounding on the door trying to get in. The room was empty but the two rifles. The room was empty but the two rifles.

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frequently tried to get him to swear to affidavits stating that he had nothing to do with the murder.

Youtsey appeared to be wholly in the hands of the commonwealth's attorney, who kept him at their hotel. He was neatly dressed and showed that every care is being taken of him by the au-

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Tudgee, 52, and Anna K. Moller, 49. Rev. Paul A. Menzel. Paul A. Menzel.
Charles H. Morris, 49, and Bridget A. McNeely,
36, Charles S. Bundy, justice of the peace.
COLORED:
William T. Carter, 22, and Zelma Harris, 18, Rev.

Robert L. Baylor. John R. Coates, 23, and Cora Brooks, 25. Rev. Callais Leftwich.
Lewis B. English, 25, of Body Camp, Va., and Yeolen S. Penn, 21. Rev. M. W. Clair,
Walter J. Branford, 25, and Catherine Smith, 25.

BIRTH RECORD.

Gerado and Congetta Tassa, girl.
Jesse and Rose Jones, boy.
Claude A. and Ella G. Skinner, boy.
Earl B. and Laura R. Hurley, girl.
Frederick C. and Bessie A. Perry, jr., boy.
Joseph F. and Flora E. Swartz, girl.
Richard S. and Annie E. Owens, male twina.
John C. and Warie A. McCubbin, boy.
Michael J. and Catherine M. Meury, boy.
Adam and Caroline Minnick, boy.
Francis A. and Florence A. Marth, boy.
Samuel A. and Ada E. Jones, girl.
William and Leathia Johnson, girl.
Charles H. S. and Mary T. Eaton, boy.
G. Frederick and Rosa E. Coles, girl.
Morris and Sarah Cohen, girl.
Frank and Olive A. Coburn, boy. Gerado and Congetta Tassa, girl. Morris and Sarah Cohen, girl.
Frank and Olive A. Cohurn, boy.
George E. and Harriet A. Babbington, girl.
Edward E. and Masy N. Burton, girl.
M. M. and A. J. Butler, boy.
Francis and Grace Ashford, girl.
John H. and Mattie B. Apperson, girl.
Morris and Viola Washington, boy.
Jeny and Mary Tyler, boy.
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John W. and Mary E. McCoy, girl.
Clarence and Ada Johnson, boy.
Robert and Jessie Jones, boy.
Sandy and Rebecca Hamlette, boy.
William and Florence Geary, boy.
John and Martha Jones, girl.
Sherman and Ressle Davis, boy.
William and Ophella Corba, boy.
John and Josephine Blide, boy. Ernest and Eaver Bell, girl.
Thomas W. H. and Agues Butts, girl.
William H. and Lucy Beasley, boy.

DEATH RECORD.

James H. Pyles, Grant road, Tennallytown, D. C. William E. Thatcher, 2621 K st. nw., 4 years. William E. Thatcher, 221 K st. nw., 4 years.
Pearl Donaldson, 3500 lith st. nw., 17 years.
Ernest D. Frazier, 1221 5th st. nw., 52 years.
Jennie H. Seott, 692 Mass. are. nw., 75 years.
John G. Jameson, 18 9th st. sc., 37 years.
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William White, 1244 4½ st. sw., 45 years.
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Abner M. Hondley, 2303 lst st. nw., 45 years.
Amary J. Carpenter, 1082 20th st. nw., 38 years.
Emma J. Smith, 11th and N sts. nw., 61 years.
Charles E. Barrett, 1618 1st st. nw., 1 year.
Joseph Genau, 1407 5th st. nw., 45 years.
Maxwell H. McNau, Georgetown Hospl., 2 years.
COLORED,
Prederick Pinkney, Seridan ave., Hillsdale, 65 years.

Nary S. Jackson, 1916 942 st. nw., 1 years, Frederick B. Long, 307 V st. nw., 43 years, Catherine Taylor, Woodburn, D. C., 50 years, Cornelius Gordon, 315 lst st. sw., 82 years, Henry Diggs, 1715 Seaton st. nw., 1 years, James Williams, Freedmen's Hospl., 39 years, Sarah Cole, Home for Aged and Infirm, 69 years, Charles W. Montgomery, 2026 Dumbarton ave., 59 cars.

John W. Randelph, 1032 33d st, urz., 32 years, John W. Bandorph, 1932 3d st. 13-7, 32 years, George F. Ellis, Sheridan are, Hilsdale, 51 years, Peter Williams, 512 G st. se., 54 years, Edith L. Bood. 37 Defrees st. nw., 6 months, Sylvina Brocks, 430 545 st. sw., 6 months, Many E. Banks, 719 2d st. sw., 2 months,

The Largest Morning Circulation,

FORTUNE FROM LOST FATHER. Asheville Mill Girl Gets Wealth at Parent's Deathbed,

Her father and mother separated when

her mother, who never spoke of the fa-ther. Miss Tompkins recently received

Prevent Increase of Stock.

After a conference yesterday morning

at Well-attended Meeting.

jority in Congress Will Aid the

People of Washington.

of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Wallace, of Ta

ARMY AND NAVY.

Army Orders.

Capt. GUY V. HENRY. Twelfth Cavalry, is designated member of Cavalry Board. Fort Riles, vice Capt. STEPHEN M. KOCHERSPERGER,

Surg F. S. NASH, to Naval Academy

message from Fairfield, Ind., signed by

ing section of town.

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 10,-A fortune from her father, whom she had never City Council Holds Last Meetseen, has fallen to Miss Tompkins, of this city. She is seventeen years old and has ing Before Holidays. supported herself here, living in the mill-

she was an infant, and she was taken by HEARS MANY RESOLUTIONS panel was filled.

Discusses Redemption of Bonds Against Southern Railway.

WASHINGTON HERALD BUREAU

(Bell Telephone 60,) 529 King Street. Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10.-City council held its semi-monthly meeting to-night in the office of City Auditor E. F. Price, owing te the fact that the improvements in the council chamber have not yet been completed. The session was one of the shortest held recently, and council adjourned until the second Tuesday in at Baltimore street and Fremont avenue.

Councilman Snowden offered a resolution that the finance committee be aulegislature to authorize a refunding of the was not divulged by the State's attorney. debt. The matter was referred to the

city gas works, for the gas finances, for the six months ending November 20, 1907, was read and accepted. According to the that period was \$15,718.89, and the amount collected was \$15,058.31, leaving the amount unpaid to November 30, 1907, \$660.58. The amount of other bills due and unpaid was given at \$257.21.

An ordinance was passed, with an amendment, for the sale of a certain strip of land owned by the city, situated near the old canal, to the Old Dominion Glass Company for the sum of \$600. In the amendment it is provided that upon payment to the city auditor the company will Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 10.—Judge George at a meeting held at the residence of Mr. D. J. Partello, 414 Eighth street northwest.

| D. J. Partello, 414 Eighth street north| Sain title to the city addror the company will gain title to the property upon which it is now located, together with other prop| a special term of the Campbell County child in "The Land of Heart's Desire," she environment. It shows a man elevated Although the greater part of the even- erty.

Arthough the greater part of the even-ing was spent in discussion of the gas question, nothing definite in regard to the subject was done. The feeling pre-valls among the members of the associavails among the members of the associa- of council name one member from his re- the notice as insufficient, and subsewould fix the door so we could get in, and he did. He then held up his hand and I held up mine, and he swore me that I would not tell a living soul of what we had done.

Williams on the committee Mr. Williams explained the purport of the bill, which, he said, was more equitable for the city. The city at present, he said, receives than is included in the ordinance adopted counted as allies in the fight, if the citi-Pointed Out Goebel.

"Jim' Howard knocked at my door on he morning of the 30th and when I proper time.

Zens' associations of Washington, individually and collectively would come to the aid of the Commissioners at the proper time.

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occupancy as soon as possible, because of finance committee.

Councilman Strauss offered a resolu

mob would charge on the building."

The inner will be field at 10.35 clock to more wafternoon from the residence; Services private. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace that he (Youtsey) had best be away from that he (Youtsey) had best be away from have spent several winters in Washington.

The inner will be field at 10.35 clock to more lead at 10.35 c yesterday, in order that they may par-ticipate in the election which will be held the second Tuesday in next June, at FLEES OVER CHARGED WIRES. which time a mayor and three coun

The Circuit Court for this city, Judge WILLIAM A. NICHOLS, First Infantry, Thomas W. Harrison, of Winchester Washington, pending Va., presiding, was engaged to-day in Commissary Sergt. HARRY CORCORAN to hearing the suit of J. Louis Loose against penitentiary here for robbery, escaped this relieve Post Commissary Sergt. the Southern Railway Company, a suit MES M. CLIFTON.
WILLIAM B. PARENT, infantry, Fort in which the plaintiff seeks to recover damages in the sum of \$20,000 for injuries alleged to have been sustained to his plants and bothouses from smoke and conders from the defendant company's columbia, to the plants and bothouses from the defendant company's engine shows and conders from the defendant company and conders from the defendant orps, Columbus Barracks, is transferred to Hospital Corps as private.

Company C. Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, for duty with Company C. Hospital Corps.

Company C, Hospital Corps.

Musician FRANK SHOUSH, Sixteenth Recruit
Company, Jefferson Barracks, discharged by Company, Jefferson Barracks, discharged by purchase.

7. 198EPH L. CHAMBERLAIN, Troop B. Infirteenth Cavalry. Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred as private to general service, infinite and the family to recruit depot, Jefferson Barracks.

8. Simple Method That Is Always Efficacious It has only been a few years since it has only been a few years since it has stayed on at the parsonage, and has as the members of the firm are about to return to Russia, they have decided to return to Russia. Private First-class PATRICK F. TOBIN, Hospital

Organ, recruiting station, New York City, discharged in the interest of the United States.

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senal, Illinois,
rivate OTTO M CARLSON, ordinance

The teactes the Alexandria Hospital
would cure appendicus. In fact, it has lady. She has learned much, too, and
the sum of \$500 is donated to
the Masonic Home, Richmond, after
which the other bequests are as follows:

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District of Columbia, December 20, for examination.

The Lyceum Dramatic Club to-night presented "The Old Dairy Homestead," a signal Corps, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, transferred to Fourth Infantry as private to Fort Thomas, Kentucky.

The Lyceum Dramatic Club to-night to the circus and leaves John Douglass alone.

The disease for which the operation is a cure is usually caused by indigestion, and in many cases follows a large and indigestible meal. Navy Orders.

Rear Admiral R. M. BERRY, detached as commandant navy yard and station, Norfolk, Va., December II. to home.

Lieut, H. E. COOK, detached command Shubrick, when out of commission, to temporary duty in command Tingey.

Midshipman W. C. NIXON, detached Kentucky, to Tinger,

Midshipman J. F. CONNOR, detached Shubrick, to Kentucky.

Roads; Standish, at Hampton Roads; Archusa, at Lambert Point; Adams, at Bermuda.

Sailed-December S, Nebraska, from Bremerton for San Francisco; Yorktown, from San Francisco; Yorktown, from San Francisco; Yorktown, from Cavite for Genan; Samoset, from League Island for Thinida; Craven and Dahlgren, from New Jork; Prairie, from League Island for Finidad; Craven and Dahlgren, from Newport for New York; Prairie, from League Island for Hampton Roads; December 9, Arthusa, from Newport for Hampton Roads; December 9, Arthusa, from Newport for Hampton Roads; December 9, Arthusa, from New York, for Hampton Roads; Williamsota, from Lavite for Hongkong; Stringham, Stockton, Thornton, and De Long, from Annapolis for Norfolk.

Dr. E. B. Prettyman, whose death occurred here yesterday, will take place from take place from his late residence to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Ernest L. Woolf, pastor of the Rockville M. E. Church South, officiating. Interment will be at the Union Cemetery of Rockville.

The following have been selected as pall-bearers: Col. Spencer C. Jones, Judge James B. Henderson, Hattersly W. Tall-bott, Frank Aimoney, and James Dawson, of Rockville, and Col. Washington Stockton, Thornton, and De Long, from Annapolis for Norfolk.

Dr. E. B. Prettyman, whose death occurred here yesterday, will take place citis, than to tell him to go to the drug store, pay 50 cents, and take home a package o'. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Whenever heartburn, gas in stomach for bowels, heart disease or stomach troubles, sour eructions, acidity or fermentation are present, act at once. Take a dose of the Tablets and get relief as soon as possible.

At all druggists—50 cents.

Send us your name and address to-day and we will at once send you by mail a sample package free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

NEWSOFALEXANDRIA TRIED FOR HUSBAND'S MURDER

Mrs. Peebles Will Plead Self-defense Before Virginia Court.

Amounting to \$748,000-Takes Up him. She, it is said, then hitched a mule Gas Question-1,600 Voters Regis- to his body and dragged it away, covertered-Circuit Court Hears Suit ing it with bushes, in which condition it was discovered the following day.

BROWN CASE HELD OPEN.

Grand Jury Deliberate in Hearing Charges Against Clubman,

Baltimore, Dec. 10.-After remaining in session an extra two hours this after- ple, clean-hearted souis-people of the noon, the grand jury adjourned until to- Middle West-types which every Amermorrow without reaching a decision in lean has known and which most Amerthe case of Frank Brown, jr., who was leans associate with the days of youthdriving the automobile that killed James the happiest and most joyous moments Ginnell (colored) Thanksgiving morning of life, Foreman Daniel C. Ammidon said the case would be held open for further investigation

thorized to consider the best method of Dougherty, who were gathering informa- enough to satisfy the public. It is staged arranging for and refunding the outstand- tion about the case, was sent before the by Mr. Frederic Thompson, whose repuing bonds, of the issue of 1879, amounting jury by State's Attorney Owens early in tation as a producer of marvelous stage to \$748,000, and to report to council early the day. At the same time he sent a spe-in January, in order that the delegate in that Dr. Johnson wanted to kill Goebei from the office of the secretary of State, and that I was going to see Gov. Taylor and that I was going to see Gov. Taylor about it. Separator Debog said for me not

The report of J. B. Waller, clerk of the TOWN IN FIGHT FOR GROUND

report, the amount of gas sold during Lynchburg, Va., Wants to Extend Corporate Limits.

> County Resents Plan and Special Session of Court Is Called to Settle Question.

tion that, although they are fighting spective board to co-operate with the quently for a continuance, were over-Powers and told him we wanted the key. Powers said he did not have the key, but of Washington may win their fight for would fix the door so we could get in

Governor-elect Crothers of Mary-

candidates for appointment. The governor-elect heard them all, but-made no
promises. The first to call on the your
John-The doctor can tell better about that when Thomas W. Robinson closed at 10 o'clock promises. The first to call on the govpaid their annual tax, \$1.50. Consider- which was followed by one from Harford ash: it's my wheel, the my wheel of the same and the same as a delegation from Cecil County, Polly-Doctor! Bad as that, ch? It's my wheel, of the same as a delegation from Cecil County, as a static county which was followed by one from Harford ash: it's my wheel. able activity was displayed by citizens County, headed by C. H. Johnson, cashier

Daring Convict at Richmond Makes Thrilling Escape.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 10.-John Hart, of New York, doing eight years in the State morning by skinning across the walls on electric cables, using his coat sleeves as insulators to protect himself from the current. He was recaptured in twenty-five

Appendicitis

How to Avoid It and Escape a Surgical Operation, Told by One

AT LOCAL PLAYHOUSES

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 10 .- Mrs. Edmonia The National-"Polly of the Circus." | Thompson could have managed; and the Peebles, who is charged with the murder of her husband, D. C. Peebles, in the success, the big success, of "Polly of which close the show. Bedford County, August 31, was placed the Circus" after the first act of its first on trial at Bedford City to-day, A jury on trial at Bedford City to-day. A jury appearance on any stage at the National whose creation "Polity of the Circus" was promptly obtained, but seventeen Theater last night. In those two first She has told a story full of sympathy veniremen being questioned before the scenes the play had developed such relieved by fine humor; always the human, such dramatic, and such purely ter is rather close to tears; the play ap Self-defense will probably be the plea. sympathetic qualities that the large au-It is charged that the woman murdered dience gathered to see the first presentathe man in a quarrel, shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel, shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel, shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel, shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him, and beat the man in a quarrel shot him a quarrel shot

in its applause. The play develops a story that is fresh, Hollis, as a d acon, betrayed marked original, close to the soil, true to human nature, and appealing to the best in- the conscientious work done by Malcoln stincts of human nature. In its finely Joseph Brennan, Desiree Lazard, and the sympathetic quality it reminds one strikingly of Charles Dickens, than whom there was no closer student of the human heart. The people it deals with are sim-

And the play has that quality which means so much in this day and age of productions staged carelessly and by managers who seem to think that any The report of Detective Mason and meretricious stage pictures are good pictures and the creator of effects that has graced the stage for many years. High as is the mark set by Mr. Thomp-

traditional tragic roles, there is no deon in his production, it must be said that the acting-he is clever enough a nying his artistic treatment and expresmanager to have seen to that-is up to sive power as a romantic actor, a power t in every degree. There is not a part which has continually augmented his the whole cast (and it is a large one) popularity as a drawing attraction. He which is not most beautifully and artis- may exploit the problem play, offer new tically played, from the star part, played and serious interpretations of established by Miss Mabel Taliaferro, to the humroles, or even soar into the regions of the intangible poetic, but his fame with the lest member of the company. And aside from the undoubted success

of the play as a whole, the production last evening noted the high-water mark in Miss Mabel Taliaferro's career as an slightly tinged with the melodramatic actress. As Polly, she achieved a per- tendency. sonal triumph; she reached that artistic point in her career which those who have Villon is one of those effective roles which followed her in admiration since, as a fulfill every requirement outlined above. Circuit Court at Rustburg to-day, to has gone on and on, ever surer and betlast she has come into her own in a part vading quality. The wiles of a crafty, that enables her to play with the heartstrings of her audience as a skilled musi- at naught by that force which regulate cian plays upon a harp. Her performance the destiny of pauper, poet, and potentate, was an artistic gem; sympathetic, won. without regard to exigencies of state of derful, beyond all need of praise. The story of the play is a simple one; composing it. Mr. Sothern's delineation in original setting, and a new telling of a is fully as pleasing now as when he first

an original setting, and a new telling of a story as old as the hills, and yet forever young and beautiful. The setting is a town in the Middle West, such a little town, made up of homely, narrow-minded folk, but honest people, as most of us have known and many of us have loved. A circus has come to town, and Polly, the bareback rider, has been thrown and hurt; and as there is no hospital in the hurt; and as there is no hospital in the town, she is carried to the louse of the parson. Here she is put to bed and tended with care, and the second scene of the villon before the gibbet. All go to make first act shows her, a sweet-faced up an harmonious whole, and tend to little girl, propped up in bed. Here comes create a pleasurable sensation which is

perament all being carefully dep ers, who gave artistic assistance, were Roland Buckstone, Sidney Mather, Adolph

Mandy—Yo' what?

Polly—My wheel—my creeper—Oh, Golly, that's sore. Is it punctured?

Roland Buckstone, Sidney Mather, Adolph Lestine, Frank Reicher, Virginia Hammond, and Mrs. Holcombe. The presentation is on the correct and elaborate scale Polly-What? Great Bareum and Bailey. Are you a sky pilot? Well, great snakes! I never thought I'd be talking to one of you guys.

John-My church is right out there. You can The play will be repeated at the Satur-

see it from the window.
Polly-How long have you worked here?
John-I've only been here about six months.
Polly-Six months! Hain't they got mighty tired

your spiel?

John-I hope they haven't.

Polly-Gee, six months in a burg like this. They must be sick of yeu. Or, perhaps, you change your act. Do you do the same stuff, or have you

John-Got a rep?
Polly-Sure! Repi-tory-different acts-entries some call them. Why, Uncle Toby has get twenty-four entries. Makes a beap of difference in the big cities, where you have a run.
John-I see. Well, I try to say sere thing new Polly-None of your acts is like circus acts, are

John-Not many lengths. I'm afraid. But min-isters try to tell their people things which will help them and make them forget their week-day troubles for a time.

Polly-Why, that's just like the circus business.

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